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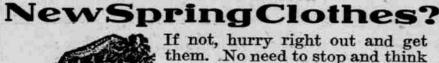
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The feast of the Passover being celerated by the Hebrews, or rather ob-

The feast of the Passover being celebrated by the Hebrews, or rather observed, at the present moment is, like the Christian Lenten period, a time of fasting and prayer, during which the faithful only partake of unleavened bread and on every day use a different set of dishee for it. While coincident with the Christian Easter time, it is more to the point that Easter is coincident with the Passover.

The origin of the Passover is one of the most difficult things to tace in Hebrew archaology and from the best authorities it can be traced to two different sources.

In one case it is simply an outgrowth of the ancient Jewish custom to give thanks to Jehovah for the grain crop. Not one of the ancients would touch a grain of wheat until it had been offered to God and then, lest they lose time in waiting for the bread to leaven, they would eat it as it was. Later it was supposed the delivery of the Hebrews from the house of Egypt was added to the commemoration of the period and from this the days have received their name, Passover.

At the time of the flight to their own country the Hebrews were in such a hurry that they left their bread unleavened in the troughs, and it is to this fact that a number of students of ancient history attribute the fast which lasts to this day.

of Chat H. Hetchire

POLI IN LAW COURT

A year ago Mr. Poli took a lease of this theater from the United States Amusement company, who had pre-viously leased it from the owner. This theatre had not been a paying proposi-tion and had been in considerable trou-

anything he undertakes it began to thrive.

During his recent absence abroad, Mr. Nelson discovered that there was a flaw in the lease held by Mr. Poll, in that the latter did not obtain the written consent of the owner. Therefore, March 18, he ordered Mr. Poll's players out of the theatre and himself assumed charge.

A Remarkable Bridge. Among the many odd nooks and corrude bridge of ropes is thrown across, which remains during the fishing seaweather save to the natives, who cross it with the utmost indifference. The bones of horse, ox, deer, sheep, goat, badger, otter, water rat and of several kinds of birds.

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Objects to Being Ousted from Springfield

Sylvester Z. Poli has been several days at Springfield, Mass., where he is attending a hearing on his suit to enjoin George D. Nelson from holding possession of the Nelson Theatre in that city, or to lease it to other par-

Mr. Poli opened it as a moving pic-ture house, and as is the custom with anything he undertakes it began to

ners and crannies of the auld Emerald Isle is Carrick-a-rede, on the Great Northern railroad of Ireland. It is an isolated rock, separated from the mainland by a chasm sixty feet wide and more than eighty feet deep, and it is at this place that the salmon are intercepted in their retreat to the rivers. A son, and this bridge, which is protected by a single rope rail, swings about in the most uncomfortable manner, often rendering it a dangerous feat in stormy name is derived from "Carrig-a-ramhadh" (the rock in the road) on account of the intercepting of the salmon. Near by on the west side of the island is a cavern in which have been found the

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chowder parties, birthday celebrations, and even weddings have been postponed until after Easter. Then there will be a burst of gladness and rejoicing. Several weddings are on the tapis, full accounts of which will appear in due time. Ladies who have been out of town are gradually coming home and opening up their houses for the summer season. All the colleges and schools have shut down and that gives new life by the increase of number to the younger population. A few of our boys have gone to Washington to listen to the debates on the tariff, and some of our notable citizens are wandering on the sands at Palm Beach. Capt. A. Bedell Benjamin is still in town, and it looks as if he had given up his trip to Bermuda. A few of the women who attended the lecture about the Passion Play on Monday evening wore the new peach basket hats, but as the church was dark they did not attract much peach basket hats, but as the church was dark they did not attract much attention. It will take the public some time to become accustomed to this new and surprising headgear. One lady remarked yesterday that she thought it would be necessary to have a swelled head to fit the new hats. A few of those who attended the illustrated lecture were Judge Peck, J. W. Thompson, Radford B. Smith, Mr. Sammis, and the Misses Florence Ferrand and Ethelfleda Lowndes, who came over from Bridgeport on purpose

to be present. The many friends of Mrs. N. Ells-worth Cornwall are concerned to learn she is suffering from the grip and con-

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Little Doing-Mrs. Cornwall-A Clever

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During Holy Week everything is

very quiet in town. All dances, clam

owder parties, birthday celebrations,

Folks are Doing-Men's Club.

she is suffering from the grip and confined to her room.

Those who admire well painted pictures of natural scenery, such as may be seen hereabouts, will be glad to go to the exhibition of the Art League, at the library in Bridgeport, and see those from the brush of Mrs. Cornwall.

Lean Park who is at present em-

wall.

John Park, who is at present employed at the depot in Fairfield, has found time to draw a clever burlesque picture of our new consolidated fire department on the way to put out a grass fire. One of Mr. McNamara's teams has been hitched to the hose cart, and Mr. Judson, the new chief, is supposed to be driving, while a pair of boots, which protrude from the end of the wagon, are labelled James Lalley. As far as they go the likenesses are very life-like, and the speed with which the horse is rushing up Longbrook avenue or possibly Broadbridge road is a good hint to the department that if it is to be really useful it must get to the fire before the roof falls in.

The walls of the new hose house

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The walls of the new hose house have been completed, and now they stand in solitary grandeur walting for some one to put on a roof.

It is announced that the Rebekahs propose after Easter to give a little drama called "The Springtime's Return." It will be very pretty and full of flowers and songs. And it is possible there may be a procession of the new style hats, as well as a scene called "house cleaning."

During the last three days of the During the last three days of the week masses will be celebrated at St. James church.

James church.

Mrs. Iremonger, who has been visiting at the Rhoades residence, has returned to Netherwood, N. J.

While the windows of the Congregational church are not being enlarged the new leaded glass which is being put in to take the place of the old is much admired, and already makes the inside of the structure look more cheerful.

cheerful.

The local baseball team won a game from the Bridgeport Orioles on Saturday at Avon Park, by a score of 7 to 1.

Sunday evening at St. James', Father Thomas Fitzpatrick, brother of Mrs. Daniel Cooney of this town, conducted the evening services. Father O'Connor gave him a hearty welcome and wished him all success in his high

and wished him at success in his high calling.

There will be an Easter choral service Sunday evening at Christ church. The roundhouse in Bridgeport is to be painted by Barnum & Graham.

The Garlick family has rented the Bartram house in East Broadway.

John Doyle has provided himself with a large hen house. The raising of eggs and poultry is quite a scientific business in this village. Now and then somebody comes along in the night and strips the hen roost.

LeRoy Beach is having the inside of his house decorated. And Mr. Polly, the new barber, is to have his shop decorated. And the Peck mansion is being put in apple ple order for the new mistress.

new mistress.

Exnest H. Reed has sold a lot on Cedar avenue. Walnut Beach, to Geo. B. Clark of Milford.

The Pinochle Club held a meeting

last mant.
Some of the little folks belonging to the family of Dr. Lewis have recently had a card party. The big boys are had a card party. The big boys are in Washington.

William Hughes has made a brief visit to Derby. He hopes soon to go to Northampton.

Allen Judson has gone into the insurance business. There should be a good field for this in town, since the new hose house is nearly done and rates will be materially lower.

Fifteen of the little friends of Vincent Munson helped him to celebrate his birthday last Saturday. The Brodericks. Arbuckles, Egglestons, Curdericks. Arbuckles, Egglestons, Cur-

dericks, Arbuckles, Egglestons, Curtises and Cliborns were present.

Fred Smith is down with a severe

Miss Russell is expected to be well enough to resume her duties at the library in a few days.

There was a funeral at St. James' church on Tuesday morning, the remains of Joseph A. Blosko having been brought from the Bridgeport hospital where he died. He left a wife, a mother, four sisters and two brothers.

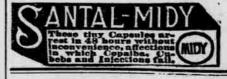
ers.

The cake sale takes place tomorrow afternoon at the chapel of the Congregational church.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Riamond were recently in town. Mr. Diamond will soon go to Boston.

The next meeting of the Men's Club will be held at the home of Radford B. Smith, in Main street, and it is thought Rev. Mr. Tweedy of Bridgeport will be the speaker for the evening, April 12.

ing, April 12. People past middle life usually have some kidney or bladder disorder that saps the vitality, which is naturally lower in old age. Foley's Kidney Remedy corrects urinary troubles, stimulates the kidneys, and restores strength and vigor. It cures uric acid troubles by strengthening the kidneys. troubles by strengthering the kidneys so they will strain out the uric acid that settles in the muscles and joints causing rheumatism. F. B. Brill, local



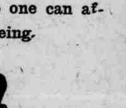
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